Permit #F00150997

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Summary Information

Permit No: F00150997 **Type of Permit:** FILMING **Release Date:** 04/26/2019

Production Company AMERICAN FILM INSTITUTE

Insured Company Name AMERICAN FILM INSTITUTE
Contact Phone No. 1 323-856-7600
Contact Phone No. 2
Fax 323-467-4578
Address 2021 N WESTERN AVE
LOS ANGELES, California 90027

Production Title TOWN SMOKES

Type of Production Student

Producer Katherine May

Director Andrew Pollack

1st AD Tari Wariebi

Production Manager Feras Alfuqaha

FilmL.A. Coordinator Angel Miranda

Location Manager Katherine May
Primary Phone Mobile - 805-336-6668
Secondary Phone

Location Assistant Katherine May
Primary Phone Mobile - 805-336-6668
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Fees

Notification Charge	$26.00	**Total Permit Fee**	$52.00
FILMLA NON-REFUNDABLE STUDENT PERMIT FEE SIMPLE	$26.00	**Number of Locations**	2

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Location Address 28909 Heffner Rd, Acton, CA, 93510

Location Name ACTON SPRINGS MOVIE RANCH

Location Type Ranch

Prep Dates 4/22/2019 - 4/26/2019 10:00 - 22:00 5 days

Film Dates 4/27/2019 - 4/28/2019 09:00 - 22:00 2 days

Open or Closed to the Public Closed

Generic Conditions *LA CITY AND/OR LA COUNTY FIRE CHECKLIST ATTACHED TO FINAL PERMIT. THE PERMITTEE IS RESPONSIBLE FOR COMPLETING CHECKLIST PRIOR TO FILMING ACTIVITY AT THIS LOCATION. NON COMPLIANCE MAY RESULT IN ASSIGNMENT OF A FIRE OFFICER.
All vehicles must be parked on private property
Must maintain local/emergency access
No cast or crew parking on area streets

Please see attached documents AFI-TWO SMOKES _STUDENT LETTER.pdf
Acton Special Filming Conditions Revised 10-18 docx.pdf

Equipment on Location

Type	Quantity
Cast/Crew vehicles	5
Cube Trucks	1
Fire Extinguisher (2A10BC Minimum Rating)	3
Generator	2
Portable restrooms	1

Personnel on Location

Type	Quantity
Cast	5
Crew	27
LA County Field Inspection	1

Filming Activities Camera on sticks; Handheld equipment; Interior and exterior dialogue and establishing shots; Camera, equipment and film activities on private property only – no public sidewalk and/or street activities;

Jurisdiction **Political:** Los Angeles County - Supervisor District 5 **Police:** Los Angeles County Sheriff **Fire:** Los Angeles County Fire Department

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Approvals LOS ANGELES COUNTY PUBLIC WORKS - FINAL APPROVERS Linda Ayers

Coordinator Note ABSOLUTELY NO COUNTY MAINTAINED ROAD (INCLUDING SHOULDERS), SIDEWALK OR PUBLIC PROPERTY USAGE ALLOWED FOR FILMING RELATED ACTIVITIES OR PARKING WITH THIS LOCATION PERMIT - ALL FILM ACTIVITIES AND PARKING MUST BE CONFINED TO PRIVATE PROPERTY ONLY.

Coordinator Note FILMMAKERS ARE ALWAYS REQUIRED TO HAVE PERMISSIONS FROM PRIVATE PROPERTY OWNERS FOR FILMING ON PRIVATE PROPERTY. FILML.A. HAS RECEIVED ASSERTIONS THAT INDIVIDUAL PROPERTY OWNERS ALONG THE PRIVATE ROADWAYS IN THIS AREA MUST APPROVE USE OF THE ROADS FOR FILMING ACTIVITY.

Coordinator Note LA COUNTY FIRE NUMBER: 19-1086-80/66.

Coordinator Note THREE (3) 2A 10BC TYPE FIRE EXTINGUISHERS REQUIRED ON SET AT ALL TIMES WHILE FILMING.

Coordinator Note LOS ANGELES COUNTY FSA, FSO OR WATER TRUCK NOT REQUIRED.

Coordinator Note SUBJECT TO LOS ANGELES COUNTY FIRE FIELD INSPECTION TO INSURE COMPLIANCE.

Parking

Base Camp
Location Type : Filming Location

Crew Parking
Location Type : Filming Location

Parking Notes
BASE CAMP AND ALL CAST, CREW, PERSONAL AND EXTRAS VEHICLE PARKING WILL BE ON (PRIVATE) PROPERTY ONLY - ABSOLUTELY NO CAST, CREW, EXTRAS, AUDIENCE OR PERSONAL VEHICLES TO BE PARKED ON AREA STREETS, ROADS (INCLUDING SHOULDERS) OR ALLEYS.

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Location Address 7421 HILLROSE ST., LOS ANGELES, CA, 91042

Location Type Market

Film Dates 4/27/2019 - 4/27/2019 08:00 - 13:00 1 day

Open or Closed to the Public Open

Generic Conditions
All vehicles must be parked on private property
Community Survey Obtained
Community Survey Required
Must maintain local/emergency access
No cast or crew parking on area streets

Equipment on Location

Type	Quantity
Cast/Crew vehicles	5
Cube Trucks	1
Fire Extinguisher (2A10BC Minimum Rating)	5

Personnel on Location

Type	Quantity
Cast	3
Crew	15

Filming Activities Interior and exterior dialogue and establishing shots; Camera, equipment and film activities on private property only – no public sidewalk and/or street activities;

Jurisdiction **Political:** Los Angeles City - Council District 07 **Police:** Los Angeles Police Department **Fire:** Los Angeles City

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Approvals LOS ANGELES CITY POLICE DEPARTMENT Vincent Aguirre

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April 12, 2019

To Whom It May Concern:

Re: Katherine May, First Year Producing Fellow
Feras Alfuqaha, Unit Production Manager
"Town Smokes"

This letter is to introduce the above-named individuals who are currently enrolled as First Year Fellow at the American Film Institute Conservatory.

The American Film Institute is a non-profit educational organization dedicated to advancing and preserving the art of the moving image in the United States. The AFI Conservatory, a branch of the institute, is an accredited graduate institution offering the Master of Fine Arts degree.

The above-named individuals are engaged in producing a required class project. The First Year productions of the AFI Conservatory are exercises for educational purposes only, and are not exhibited for commercial purposes. The American Film Institute is the owner of and provides all necessary insurance for the projects.

The American Film Institute is a non-profit educational organization, which has tax exempt status under section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954, federal identification number 52-6072925.

AFI would be grateful for any cooperation and assistance that can be provided to these individuals in connection with the production of this required exercise. Should you require any further information, please contact me at the number listed below.

All our best,

Nathalie Curtis
Manager of Production Services, First Year

Note: Please be advised that no Fellow may incur a financial or legal obligation in the name of nor act as an agent for the American Film Institute. Any such arrangements must be made directly with the individual Fellow as the personally responsible party.

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Acton Special Filming Conditions
Wednesday, October 10, 2018

1. As a general rule, no permits should be issued to any locations with open code enforcement actions. If there is an open code enforcement action on a property, a permit shall not be issued for filming at that location. However, not all code violations warrant a prohibition on filming. Each is examined on a case by case basis by the Department of Regional Planning or respective Department. Code violations may range from Zoning, Building, Fire and Health code violations. The following departments have the authority to issue Notice of Violations (NOV): (1) Regional Planning (Zoning); (2) Public Works (Building); (3) Fire (Health and Safety); Public Health (Health) For example, a property with a minor plumbing violation does not warrant such an action as prohibiting a permit. Also, those properties with a NOV but are in the process of fixing the problem should not be prohibited.

2. FilmL.A. will evaluate all requests for permits in this area using the following criteria: Frequency of filming per block near the requested location and parking areas – Duration and frequency of recent filming – Proximity of concurrent filming activities – Historical use – Recent problems or complaints – violations of County Code – Number of filming days requested – Company size – Proposed activities (effects, excessive noise, cranes, night filming, number of days with use of outdoor lights, etc.) – any other criteria that may be relevant to the specific situation. **No Permits will be allowed without the above review.**

3. Production companies shall place bi-directional signage for full closures on the affected roads at least 48 hours in advance. Permission from the property owner(s) must be obtained before any signage is placed on private roads.

4. Affected residents must be notified at least two (2) days in advance of the first day of (standard) filming or the first day of any substantial set preparation. Permit requests must be submitted to FilmL.A. at least three (3) full business days in advance. **Notice over an expanded area may be required for special effects or other extraordinary film activities in areas where horses or other livestock are located or when the filming location is in a canyon per County direction**. Additional noticing will continue at local area community centers, libraries, and market centers as well via the Acton Film Notice email list[1].

5. Production companies will be encouraged to not to exceed a ½ load for all Film Shoots. ¾ and full load may be allowed in circumstances such as where a ½ load impedes the functioning of a required weapon and/or the location is in a secluded area with few residences. Expanded notification within at least a ½ mile of shoot location will occur for special effects such as gunfire. For such activity to occur outside the standard hours of filming, surveys of affected properties will be done with the same radius and assessed before the County will grant permissions.

[1] Acton Town Council Film Committee agrees to advertise a public notice in area newspapers requesting residents provide emails to FilmLA for inclusion in the Acton Film notice email list.

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6. Within all of the County's Unincorporated Areas, filming activity, including set up and breakdown, occurs within a 7am – 10pm timeframe. However, all requested film activities proposed to occur after 10pm or before 7am are assessed based on surveys collected from directly impacted properties. Gunfire, Lighting, Explosions after 10pm will be scrutinized and encouraged to occur during the 7am - 10pm timeframe. If filming outside standard hours is needed and justified, that request may be granted taking in to consideration the results of community surveys conducted with the same radius stated on Condition #4.

7. Removal by production companies of all directional and notification signs shall be done within 24 hours after shoot.

8. All production must return said locations such as roads to the condition that they found them in. FilmLA will reinforce this requirement as needed and follow up with Production if it is not adhered to. LA County does not have jurisdiction over privately owned roads. The film permit will let the production company know that it is responsible for attaining approvals from owners are needed to use the private roads or easements

9. For use of Drones[2], the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) is the entity that regulates the flight of drones and preempts the County's ability to regulate flight of unmanned aircraft. FilmLA always requires production companies to meet FAA requirements for use of drones in order to process permits. If drones are requested as part of the permit, the permit will include language requiring the production to minimize impact to equestrian/livestock areas.

10. Lighting[3] of sets for Film shoots should stay focused within the area of the shoot and must avoid impacting neighboring properties. Any requests for lighting use outside of the 7am – 10pm timeframe will require surveys from affected area residents before approval is given by the County.

11. Road closures[4] are prohibited from 4:30 am to 6:30 am Monday - Friday to facilitate morning peak traffic for the Soledad Canyon Road/Crown Valley Road corridor. Afternoon Hours[5] closures are <u>not</u> prohibited but do require a traffic control plan as the traffic volume during the peak period from 4:30 pm to 6:30 pm is about one

[2] The County is currently reviewing the extent that it may regulate drones within its jurisdiction. If drones are requested as part of the permit, FilmLA will note it on the Permit to lessen impact to equestrian areas
[3]LA County Dark Skies Ordinance does not apply to temporary lighting. Per LA County Code, temporary outdoor lighting is defined as lighting that does not exceed 60 consecutive days or more than 120 days per year.
[4] DPW completed its traffic study as of October 2018 and has determined traffic data for the Soledad Canyon/Crown Valley corridor. The volume data clearly shows a traffic peak period from 4:30am to 6:30am in the morning. This is consistent for multiple locations along the corridor.
[5] Traffic volume on Crown Valley is very low and there is minimal traffic impact when Soledad Canyon is closed. Overall, the traffic volume on Soledad Cyn is relatively low (2,600 ADT) when compared to Sierra Hwy at Santiago (6,400 ADT).

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third the volume in the morning. All requests for road closures will be evaluated by DPW on a case by case basis with the exception of morning peak hours.

12. Cast and crew shall be informed of the provisions of the Filmmaker's Code of Professional Responsibility.

13. To determine whether a road is privately owned or County Owned, please use http://dpw.lacounty.gov/gmed/lacroads/Find.aspx DPW does not maintain private roads or public roads which have not accepted into the road system.

14. FilmLA, with the approval of the County, can deny the permit if they receive information that the notifications were not timely enough to address the concerns of the horse or livestock properties. Depending on the type of filming that is proposed could require a longer notice period up to the five (5) days if explosions or other special filming are planned. Relocation of horse or other livestock, if needed, is at productions expense. Surveys will be done with these property owners to assess negative impacts and those responses are considered and shared with the Permit Authority (DPW) in the approval process. Only the County has the authority to approve a permit.

15. Large trucks and production vehicles are prohibited from unpaved streets/roads. Smaller trucks ("stake beds" and vans) must be used for equipment and personnel movement. Speed limits must be obeyed where posted or 10 mph where not posted. Displacement of dust must be minimized.

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